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MEDIA ALERT

THE RITZ-CARLTON, DUBAI INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL CENTRE CELEBRATES ITS 10th ANNIVERSARY

*The upscale city sanctuary in the heart of DIFC commemorates ten years of legendary
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Dubai, United Arab Emirates, 06 January 2021 – The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai International Financial Centre is celebrating ten years of providing remarkable experiences in the heart of Dubai.

The luxury urban retreat is conveniently situated on Sheikh Zayed Road, just a short drive from Dubai International Airport, and only five minutes from Downtown Dubai, the famous district boasting the breathtaking Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest building.

Named 'Middle East's Leading Luxury Business Hotel 2020' and United Arab Emirates' Leading Business Hotel at the 27th annual World Travel Awards, The Ritz-Carlton, DIFC offers elegant accommodation, world-class facilities and exceptional levels of service to its guests, who can relax in the award-winning spa or indulge their appetite in one of the hotel's many dining restaurants.

To mark the occasion, on January 10th, the hotel offers guests 10% off all dining experiences at its award-winning restaurants. **Café Belge**, the Belgian flagship dining outlet of the property, offers an unparalleled array of world-class gastronomic experiences during its lunchtime and dinner services. **Sunken Garden** is a secret sanctuary where guests can enjoy modern Arabic Tapas while watching their favourite sports games; the venue also boasts a hidden secret – an exclusive passageway to the DIFC's glamorous Gate Avenue. **Cake** is perfect for guests who are seeking a late-night dinner, early breakfast, or a hearty lunch. Those visiting during Dubai's glorious winter season must make the most of the emirate's gorgeous weather by spending as much time outdoors as possible. This makes **Flair 5**, the award-winning outdoor lounge and terrace, the ideal place to relax, unwind, and enjoy the blissful weather.

While the hotel is home to a distinctive dining scene that features fresh, innovative cuisine and a tempting range of sophisticated dining and entertainment, a journey to The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai International Financial Centre is not complete without the experience of the property's biggest highlights, including:

ELEGANT SUITES

From the moment of arrival, guests are struck by the dynamic limestone façade entrance with a 14-storey waterfall leading into the Art Deco-inspired lobby – a sign of the understated elegance and timeless design that is a hallmark of The Ritz-Carlton brand.

Short-stay visitors wishing to relax in a lavish and private setting can opt for one of the hotel's luxurious suites, ranging from the welcoming junior suite right up to the grand opulence of the Ambassador Suites or the majestic luxury of the Royal Suite. Suite guests also enjoy access to The Ritz-Carlton, DIFC's exclusive Club Lounge, which offers additional services such as a 24-hour Concierge and regular culinary presentations throughout the day.

REGAL RESIDENCES

Capturing the essence of the city's financial centre, the residences at The Ritz-Carlton, DIFC feature spacious layouts with plentiful seating areas and floor-to-ceiling windows that offer an abundance of natural light and breath-taking views. One, two, and three-bedroom luxury serviced apartments are available for extended stay guests, offering a chic experience together with the legendary service of The Ritz-Carlton in Dubai's most exclusive address, as well as access to the hotel's Club Lounge.

THE RITZ-CARLTON SPA, DIFC

The hotel's award-winning spa invites guests to lose themselves in a haven of pampering and relaxation at one of the finest wellness centers in the Middle East. The spa offers the very latest treatments and products using exquisite local techniques to relax the mind, body, and spirit.

Fadeel Wehbe, General Manager of The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai International Financial Centre said: "It is with the great sense of pride, gratitude, and fulfillment we are celebrating this key milestone in the history of our hotel. Ten years of success, relentless hard work, and creating a legacy of luxury. We are delighted to remain at the forefront of luxury hospitality and look forward to the next ten years of industry excellence."

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